Multi-Modal Biometric Approaches to Anti-Spoofing

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Outline

- Authentication vs. E-Authentication
  - Locally controlled environment
  - Remotely open environment

- Spoofing
  - Steal a biometric sample
  - Create a fake artefact

- Anti-Spoofing
  - Liveness detection
  - Multi-modal biometric fusion

User Authentication

Authentication can be divided into four categories

- Local

  – supervised

  – unsupervised

- Remote

  – supervised

  – unsupervised

Local Authentication

- Authentication performed within a small group

  – Each user has a relatively fixed access point

- Authentication located in the trusted environment

  – Locally in an office environment

  – LAN access is controlled

E-Authentication

- E-authentication is the key to success e-government.

  – Ensure that the government transacts business with the right person

  – Allow users to trust the security of the information provided

  – Reassure users that their privacy will be protected

- New Challenge

  – Authenticate the users from remote locations

  – Network is opened to every one

Authentication Factors

Security Level

Any technology can be broken by some one, in some way, at some time, with some efforts.
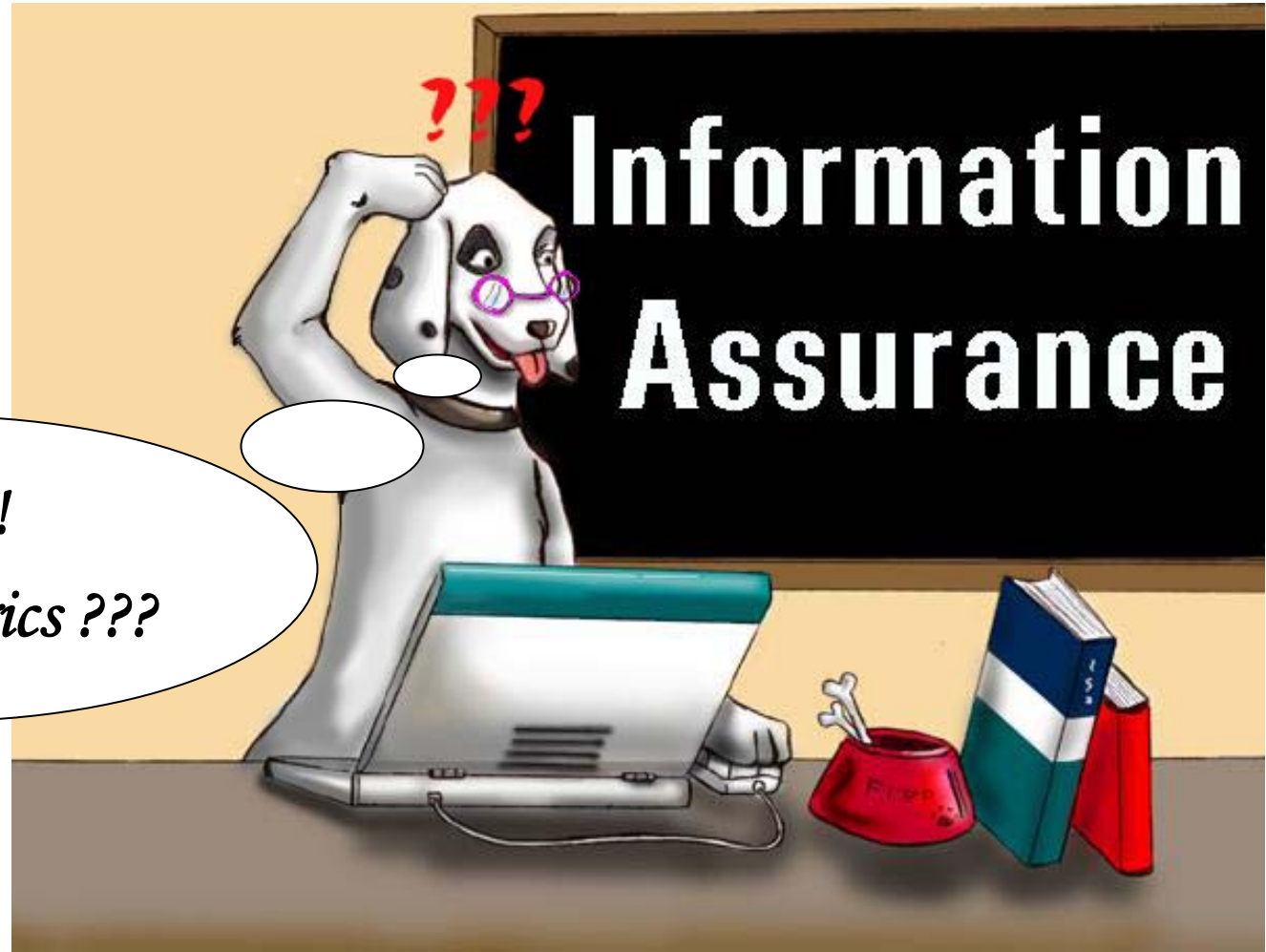
Solutions

Authentication without Biometrics

Authentication with Biometrics
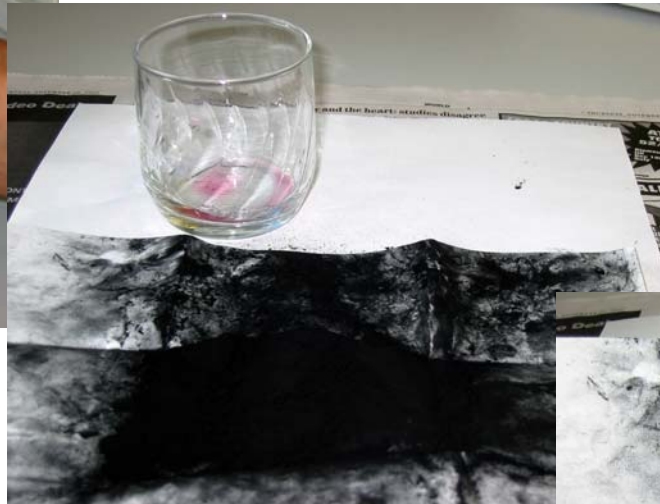
Spoofing Problem

- Fingerprint sensor can be attacked by

  - Recovering latent fingerprint from sensor window,

  - Using residual prints

  - Creating fake fingers with gelatine or silicon rubber to fool the sensor

- Face Recognition can be attacked by

  - Stealing face photo

  - Recording facial video
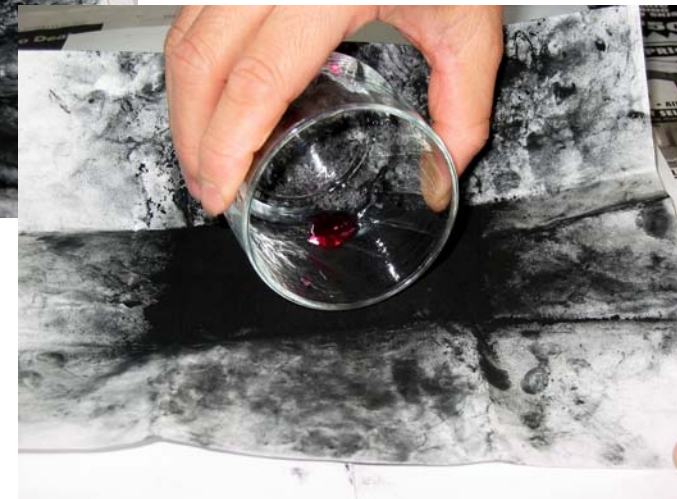
  - Creating 3D face mask

Spoofing: Easy to still a biometric sample

A fingerprint may be left on a clean, smooth surface

The problem is to make it visible

Black toner is cheap and can be used to get the fingerprint

Fingerprint Image Captured

There it is!!!

A digital camera can be used to take the fingerprint image. The image can then be edited by image processing software…

Spoofing: Easy to create an artefact

Use cheap materials to fool fingerprint sensor

Press live finger against free molding plastic

Get a mold

Pour the liquid into the mold

The gummy finger

Attack fingerprint sensor

Matsumoto's technique [1]

Anti-Spoofing Techniques

- Liveness Detection
  - Fingerprint
    - Temperature, Heartbeat, Finger bone
    - LightPrint
  - Face
    - Eye blink
    - Fourier spectra analysis
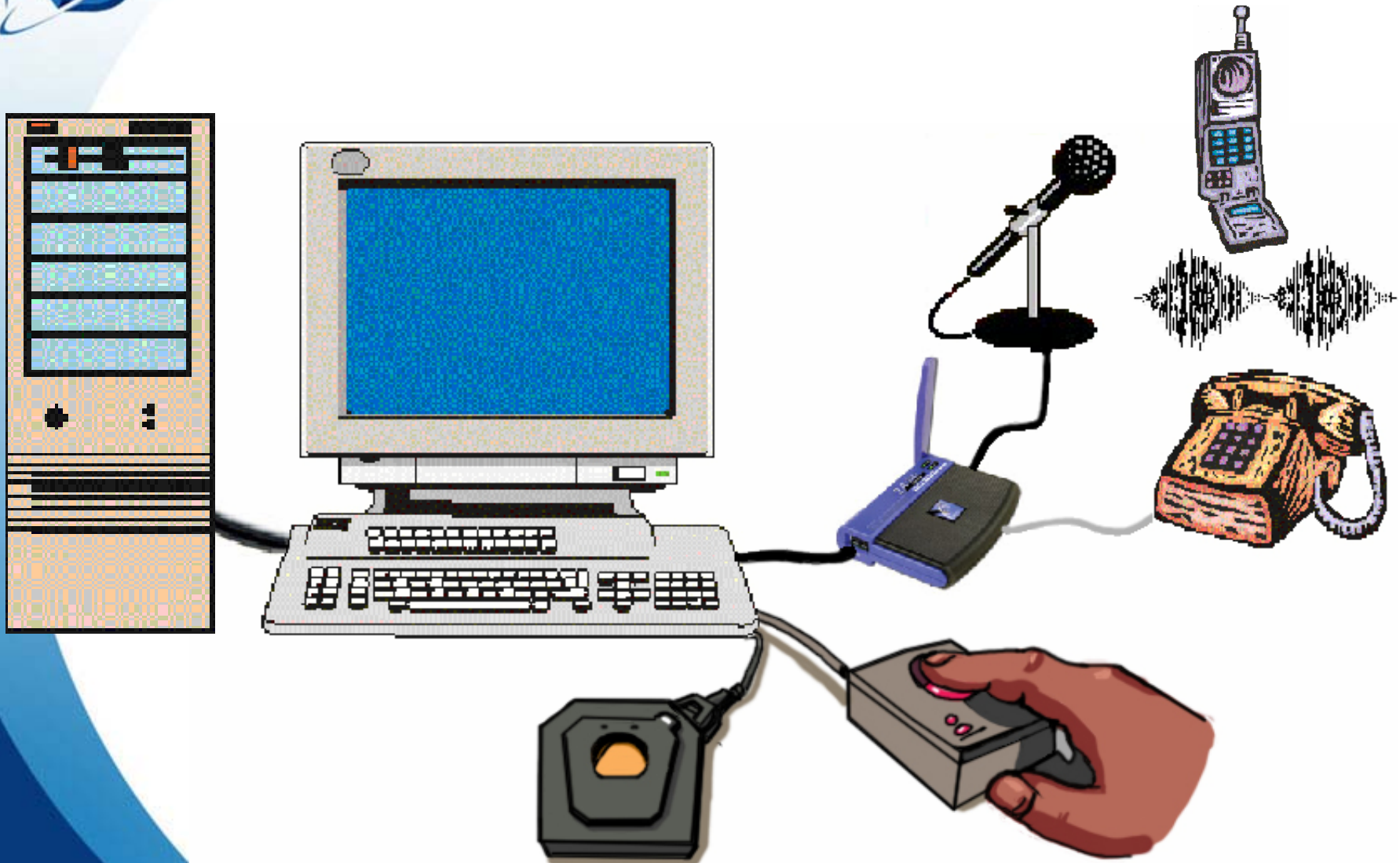
- Multi-Modal Biometrics

DRDC's Research on
Multi-Modal Biometric System

- Biometric Fusion Demo System

  - Different fingerprint sensors

  - Different biometric technologies

- Research on Multi-Modal Biometric Fusion

  - Fusion of independent modalities

  - Fusion of associated modalities
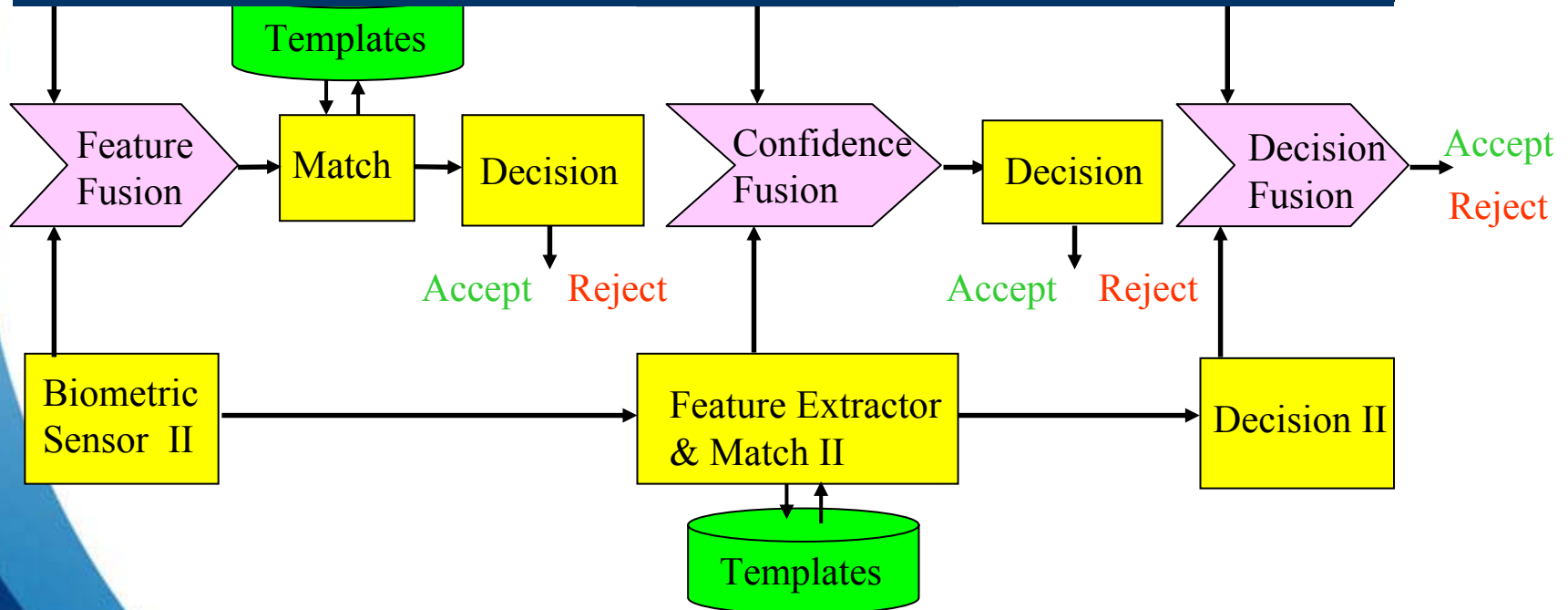
Biometric Fusion Demo System

Multi-Modal Biometric Fusion

Fusion tries to increase the value of information content. Actually, it tries to turn the equality into an inequality, making $1+1=2$ into $1+1 \geq 2$
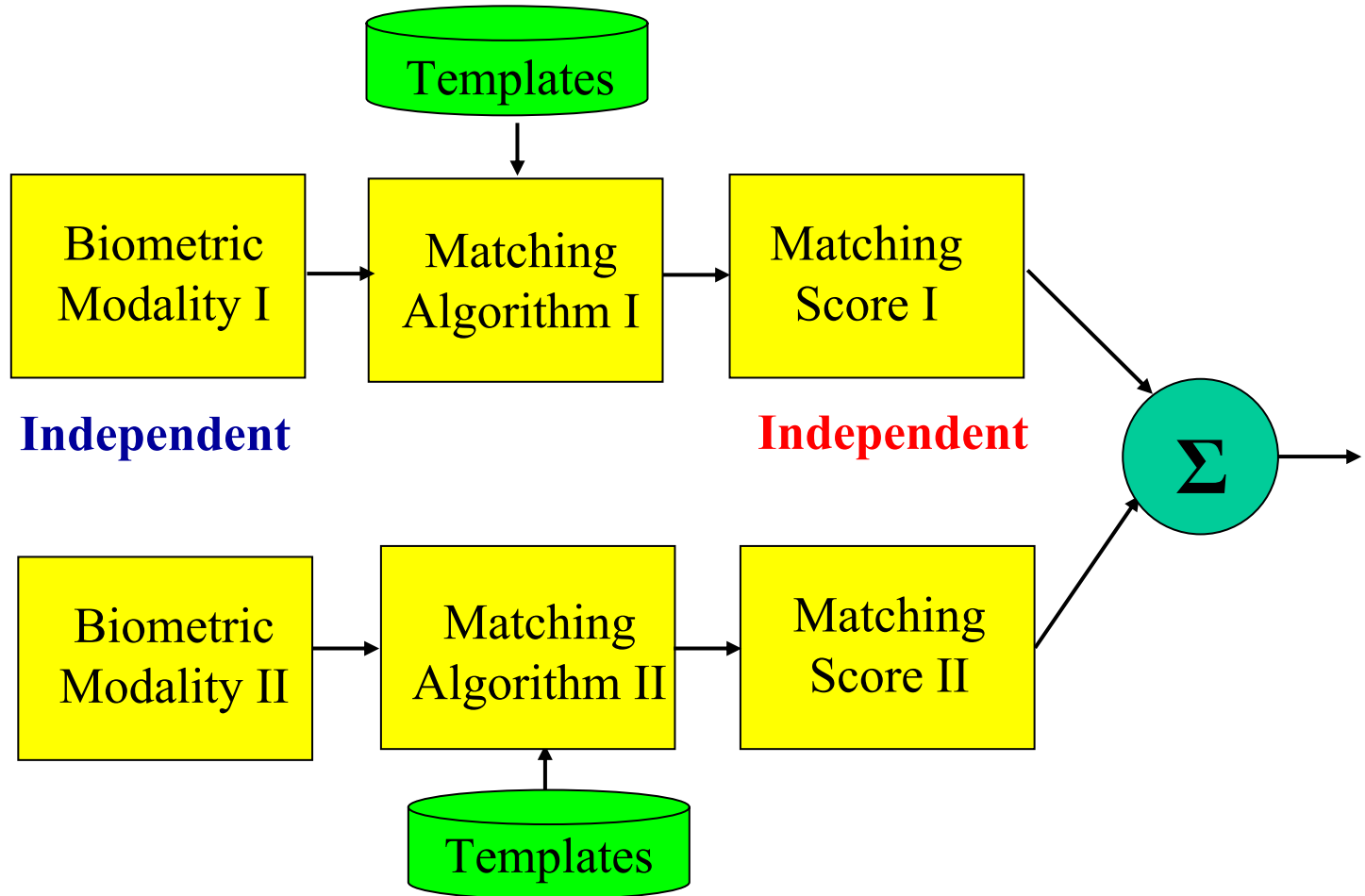
Templates

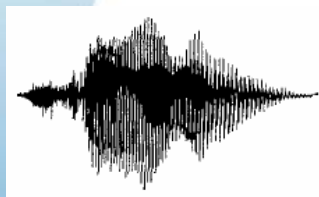Feature Fusion → Match → Decision → Confidence Fusion → Decision → Decision Fusion

Accept   Reject

Accept   Reject   Accept   Reject

Biometric Sensor II → Feature Extractor & Match II → Decision II

Templates

Reference [2]

Independent Inputs

Fingerprint

Face Image

Biometric Modality I → Matching Algorithm I → Matching Score I

Independent   **Independent**

Templates

Biometric Modality II → Matching Algorithm II → Matching Score II

Templates

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Associated (Dependent) Inputs

Audio Waveform

Lip Contours

Templates

Biometric Modality I → Matching Algorithm I → Matching Score I

Associated   **Associated**

Biometric Modality II → Matching Algorithm II → Matching Score II
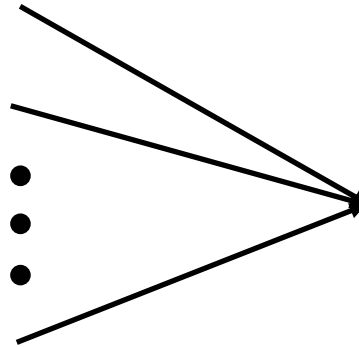
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Decision Making Based on Dependent vs. Independent Information

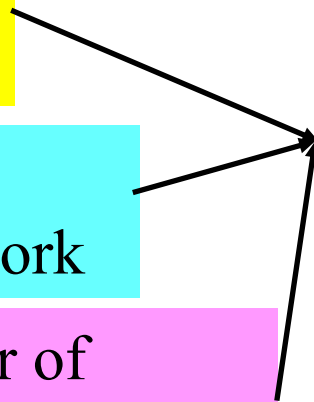Expert 1

Expert 100

Buy Stock of Network Company A

Manager of Marketing and Sales

Director of Wireless Network

Director of Optical Network

Do not buy Stock of Network Company A

Is It Me?
— based on independent modalities

Fingerprint

Face Image

Independent

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$T_{fingerprint} = 90$
My average is 93

$T_{face} = 70$
My average is 72

Biometric Modality I → Matching Algorithm I → Matching Score I → Fusion

Biometric Modality II → Matching Algorithm II → Matching Score II → Fusion

Result 93

Result 92

?

It is Still Me!
— based on associated modalities

Audio Waveform

Lip Contours

Associated

$T_{voice} = 85$
My average is 88

Result 98

$T_{lip} = 78$
My average is 80

Result 88

Templates

Biometric Modality I → Matching Algorithm I → Matching Score I → Fusion

Biometric Modality II → Matching Algorithm II → Matching Score II → Fusion

Templates

Still me

Conclusion

- Using biometrics can enhance the security level of e-authentication

- Spoofing is a major vulnerability

- Several anti-spoofing technologies are under development

- Multi-modal biometric fusion is a potential solution

- Fusion on associated biometric modalities might be a better solution because the sensor fusion can be performed with rich information obtained at an early stage

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